



UNITED ACADEMICS PROPOSAL

ARTICLE 30 OVERHEAD POLICY and TRANSPARENCY

Section 1. The Faculty Research Committee, made up of at least seven (7) faculty members appointed by the University Senate, shall develop policies and recommendations concerning the following:

1. The negotiation and establishment of university Facilities and Administration (F&A) rates;
2. The collection and distribution of F&A funds;
3. The publishing of data describing the collection and distribution of F&A funds;
4. The rates, collection, and distribution of non-F&A funds which may be charged to grants;
5. The rates, collection, and distribution of the general overhead expense;
6. Bridge funding for faculty who are temporarily between grants.

Section 2. The Faculty Research Committee will work closely with the Vice President for Research and Innovation in developing these policies.

Section 3. The Faculty Research Committee will have recommendations ready by May 1, 2013. Recommendations will be forwarded to the Vice President for Research and Innovation and the President for implementation. Copies will also be sent to the Union and the President of the University Senate.